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For : PREVENTING DAMAGE TO OPTICAL COMPONENTS FROM  
OPTICAL TIME DOMAIN REFLECTOMETERS

New York, New York  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 28, 2006, please amend this patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Complete Listing of the Claims and begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Response.

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